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### **EXECUTIVE ORDER 004-2021**

## AN ORDER TO TRANSFER THE EQUAL OPPORTUNITY OFFICE TO THE **GOVERNOR'S OFFICE**

#### Section 1: Authority

This executive order is hereby issued in accordance with the powers and authority granted to the Governor by Article IV, Sections 6 and 7 of the Revised Constitution of American Samoa, and the American Samoa Code Annotated, Section 4.0111 (b).

#### Section 2: Preamble

WHEREAS, the Director of Human Resources has requested the transfer of the Equal Employment Opportunity Division to avoid any appearance of conflict of interest or impropriety; and

WHEREAS, to ensure that the functions of Title 4, Chapter 11, of the Administrative Code are carried out.

I, LEMANU P. S. MAUGA, Governor of American Samoa, by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Revised Constitution of American Samoa and the American Samoa Code Annotated, hereby execute this order.

#### Section 3: Order

The Equal Employment Opportunity Division is transferred from the Department of Human Resources to the Governor's Office. The Equal Employment Opportunity Compliance Officer shall report to the Chief of Staff.

#### Section 4: **Effective Date**

This order shall take effect on July 1, 2021.

Date: June 23, 2021

Governor of American Samoa